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INTEGRATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS OF WOMEN AND THE GENDER PERSPECTIVE: VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

Letter dated 1 and 27 May 2002 from the Permanent Representative of Bangladesh to the United Nations Office at Geneva addressed to the Chairperson of the Commission on Human Rights

I have the honour to refer to the report of the Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences, Ms. Radhika Coomaraswamy, entitled "Cultural practices in the family that are violent towards women", contained in document E/CN.4/2002/83, which was submitted to the Commission on Human Rights at its fifty-eighth session.

I enclose herewith a letter dated 30 April 2002 which I sent to the Special Rapporteur. I request that the attached letter* be circulated as an official document of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission on Human Rights under agenda item 12 (a).

(Signed): Toufiq ALI
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

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Annex

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Dear Ms. Coomaraswamy,

I refer to your Report on "Cultural practices in the family that are violent towards women", contained in document E/CN.4/2002/83 which was submitted to the fifty-eighth session of the Commission on Human Rights. We welcome your efforts at preparing the Report, which is on a subject of vital importance. We have examined the Report carefully and would like to offer some comments on it.

In paragraph 23 under section B (Honour killings), in reference to a Washington Post Foreign Service Report it has been stated that between 1996 and 1998 in Bangladesh, "about 200 women were attacked with acid by husbands or close relatives". Reference to acid attack crimes under the section dealing with "honour killings" is misleading and gross misrepresentation of the situation in Bangladesh, where honour killings are not practiced. Honour killing, as we all know, is a particular type of crime usually carried out in the name of protecting the honour of the family, typically against a female by male relatives. Acid attacks clearly do not fall into this category.

Acid attacks, as you have rightly stated in paragraph 57 of your report, is a despicable act of violence against women, generally when they spurn the advances or marriage proposal of a man. These attacks are committed for purely personal reasons by individuals. The aggrieved, and those seeking justice, include the families of the victims. Although the vast majority of acid attacks are carried out against women, men too have been targeted. Acid attacks have been identified as one of the worst forms of violence by the government and the society. In response to widespread concern against acts of acid crimes, the Government has taken numerous measures to address this problem, including the adoption last month of the comprehensive "Acid Crimes Control Act 2002". The new law makes acid crimes the highest punishable offence, providing for strict regulation of acid production and movement, as well as treatment and rehabilitation of the victims and adoption of procedures for expeditious trial of acid crimes.

In paragraph 35 under the same section, it has been stated that "honour defences" are found in the Penal Codes of Bangladesh. To our knowledge, our Penal Code does not have any such provisions for what you state as "honour defences". As our society neither allows nor condones "honour killings" no such provisions would be acceptable in our laws. I would request you to please provide us with a clarification on the matter.

Protecting and promoting the rights of women is a Constitutional commitment for Bangladesh and one that is taken very seriously by the Government and civil society. True to this commitment, we were one of the first countries to sign and ratify the Optional Protocol to CEDAW in September 2000, along with the two Optional Protocols to the Convention on the Rights of the Child. We are a party to all the major international human rights instruments, including those relating to the rights of women. We support the UN human rights special and thematic procedures mechanism and remain committed to their effective fulfillment. In this context, we welcomed your visit to Bangladesh in November 2000. During your visit, you were completely free to meet any person or visit any place. It is unfortunate therefore, that instead of relying on first hand information that you could have obtained during your visit you have quoted the May 2000 edition of the Washington Post Foreign Service Report in referring to acid crimes.

We regret the inclusion of such misleading, unsubstantiated and sweeping generalization to the situation in Bangladesh in your Report. Inaccurate reporting, we believe, only contributes to undermining the credibility of the special procedure system and the process of genuine and constructive cooperation. We also regret the fact, that there was no reference to the various measures and efforts undertaken in Bangladesh to address violence against women, in particular those dealing with acid attack crimes. We request you to issue a corrigendum to the Report, correcting the misinformation on Bangladesh.

I would like to reiterate our support and appreciation for your efforts in fulfilling your mandate. I also assure you that your observations and recommendations on Bangladesh would receive the serious consideration of my Government.

With regards,

Sincerely,

(Toufiq Ali)

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QUESTION OF THE VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN THE OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES, INCLUDING PALESTINE

Letter dated 5 August 2002 from the Permanent Observer for Palestine to the United Nations Office at Geneva addressed to the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights

Please find herewith enclosed* memorandums issued by the Palestinian National Authority on the Israeli daily aggressions against the Palestinian people in the occupied Palestinian territories for the month of July 2002, all of which constitute violations of human rights and grave violations categorized according to international humanitarian law as war crimes and crimes against humanity, particularly the continued Israeli acts of deliberate killing, house demolitions, besieging Palestinian towns, villages and camps, imposing collective punishments, severe restrictions on the movement of Palestinians and a suffocating curfew which obviously endangers the lives of thousands of Palestinian civilians who are denied access to food, water, medicine and even to hospitals for getting urgent treatment.

I would be most grateful if you could have this letter and its enclosure distributed to the members of the Commission on Human Rights, as an official document of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission.

(Signed) Nabil RAMLAWI
Ambassador
Permanent Observer

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Annex

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Sunday July 1
To: 19.00hrs Monday July 2

The Israeli occupation forces continue their aggression using wide range of weapons against our people causing more deaths and sufferings.

[1] Palestinians was killed [32] were injured, among them [3] children, [1] critically, and [171] were arrested. [120] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [150] Dunams were bulldozed. [59] Buildings, [27] vehicles, [10] economic establishments, [2] security posts, [5] institutions were destroyed or damaged [3] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [7], shelled [23] & bombarded by machinegun fire [10] times.

Israeli occupation army continues occupying almost all the West Bank cities, towns and villages, tightening its control over the Palestinian population, imposing a curfew that puts Palestinians in all the reoccupied cities, under virtual house arrest.

- ***Ramallah***: The occupation forces raided several governmental buildings in Betunia, arrested a number of people and confiscated equipment and other properties. Meanwhile, Jewish settlers destroyed and tens of dunams of agricultural land.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces invaded Al Zababda village, raided houses and arrested more than [31] Palestinians. They also destroyed several vehicles and other properties, closed down all roads to Barqin and Qabatia, and destroyed tens of dunams of land.
- ***Toulkarm***: The occupation forces invaded most of the city's villages, arrested [17] Palestinians, stormed the Ministry of Education offices and vandalized properties
- ***Qalqilya***: The occupation forces launched a house-to-house search and arrested a number of Palestinians.
- ***Hebron***: The occupation forces stormed the Polytechnic University buildings, detained and attacked hundreds of students and arrested one hundred. They also stormed several governmental and non-governmental buildings.
- ***Bethlehem***: The occupation forces raided several houses, arrested a number of Palestinians, imposed a curfew in Pteir village and took over a Palestinian's building and turned it into a military base
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces bombarded residential houses in Al Namsawi neighborhood wounding four Palestinians and causing damage. They also bulldozed dozens of dunams of land, invaded a National Security post and kidnapped eight policemen.
- ***Rafah***: The occupation forces stormed Al Salam neighborhood, raided destroyed several houses. A Palestinian young girl died of wounds sustained earlier.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People

From: 19.00hrs Tuesday July 2

To: 19.00hrs Wednesday July 3

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[20] Were injured, among them [1] child, [70] were arrested. [600] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [200] Dunams were bulldozed. [7] Economic establishments, [3] security posts, [3] institutions were destroyed or damaged. [2] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [25], shelled [18] & bombarded by machinegun fire [30] times.

Israeli occupation army continues occupying almost all the West Bank cities, towns and villages, tightening its control over the Palestinian population, imposing a curfew that puts Palestinians in all the reoccupied cities, under virtual house arrest.

- ***Jerusalem***: The occupation forces arrested one Palestinian from Anan village.
- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The occupation forces continued to impose a tight siege on the two cities including the presidential HQ. They also stormed for the fifth consecutive time the Civil Defense buildings, ransacked properties and arrested four officials and nineteen civilians. They also raided a National Security post in AL Birah and arrested [30] policemen.
- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces stormed several of the city's villages, search and ransacked houses.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces invaded Toubas village, and opened indiscriminate fire.
- ***Qalqilya***: The occupation forces arrested five Palestinians.
- ***Salfeet***: The occupation forces continued occupying the city and imposing the curfew for the third consecutive day. Two Palestinians were injured and five others were arrested.
- ***Hebron***: Nine Palestinians were arrested.
- ***Bethlehem***: The occupation forces bulldozed agricultural land near Wadi Al Nar and destroyed more than [500] olive trees.
- ***Gaza***: The occupation forces destroyed a water well near Net Sareem junction.
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces stormed Al Rabwat, searched houses and arrested a number of people. They also opened fire at residential areas in Khazaa wounding a child.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Wednesday July 3
To: 19.00hrs Thursday July 4

The Israeli occupation forces continue their aggression using wide range of weapons against our people causing more deaths and sufferings.

[26] Palestinians were injured and [60] were arrested. [415] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [100] Dunams were bulldozed. [21] Houses, [4] economic establishments, [42] vehicles, [3] security posts and [5] institutions were destroyed or damaged. [4] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [8], shelled [34] & bombarded by machinegun fire [52] times.

Israeli occupation army continues occupying almost all the West Bank cities, towns and villages, tightening its control over the Palestinian population, imposing a curfew that puts Palestinians in all the reoccupied cities, under virtual house arrest.

- ***Jerusalem***: The occupation forces attacked a Palestinian vendor, robbed him and confiscated his goods in Bab Al Amood.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The occupation forces continued to impose a tight siege on the two cities including the presidential HQ.

- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces opened fire at Palestinian vehicles injuring seven Palestinians and prevented ambulances from reaching them and Itamar Jewish settlers attacked Yanoun village, closed the roads, destroyed water net, opened indiscriminate fire injuring a number of Palestinians and ransacked their property.

- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces invaded the neighborhoods of Khalet Al Soha, Araba, Al Bsateen, Al Zahra and Jenin refugee camp and searched & ransacked Palestinian houses, attacked & arrested Palestinians, demolished several houses and property and beat up several individuals.

- ***Tolkarem***: The occupation forces invaded the towns of Al Rass & Kherbet Jebara and searched & ransacked Palestinian houses, arrested six Palestinians, imposed curfew on the towns and fires stun grenades at Palestinian houses.

- ***Hebron***: The occupation forces arrested two Palestinians and stormed several houses.

- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces stormed Al Rabwat and bulldozed tens of Dunams of Palestinian land, searched & attacked Palestinians at Al Matahen military checkpoint and bombarded Palestinian houses west of Khan Younis. They also penetrated into Al Faraheen area, destroyed one water well, two rooms, a mosque and a police post and opened fire at Palestinians.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Thursday July 4
To: 19.00hrs Friday July 5

The Israeli occupation forces continue their aggression using wide range of weapons against our people causing more deaths and sufferings.

[2] Palestinians were assassinated, [19] were injured [2] of them were children and [91] were arrested. [300] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [300] Dunams were bulldozed. [18] Houses, [8] economic establishments, [11] vehicles, [4] security posts and [6] institutions were destroyed or damaged. [3] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [9], shelled [43] & bombarded by machinegun fire [52] times.

Israeli occupation army continues occupying almost all the West Bank cities, towns and villages, tightening its control over the Palestinian population, imposing a curfew that puts Palestinians in all the reoccupied cities, under virtual house arrest.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The occupation forces continued to impose a tight siege on the two cities including the presidential HQ, held two Moroccan journalists and closed the road leading to the sewage plant.
- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces stormed Palestinian houses and arrested five citizens.
- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces arrested one Palestinian.
- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces fired gas bombs at Younis mosque causing suffocation to many believers.

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces opened fire at Hebron – Halhoul road and arrested nine Palestinians and imposed curfew on Al Shauo & Al Dahrya areas.
- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces stormed Palestinian houses and arrested three citizens.
- ***Jericho:*** The occupation forces invaded Al Maghtass road and arrested several Palestinians.
- ***Gaza:*** The occupation forces assassinated Jehad Al Amareen (45) & Wael Jawad Al Nemra (28).

- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces stormed Abu Sleh area, stormed tens of houses, arrested several Palestinians and circled many Palestinian vehicles at Al Matahen military checkpoint. They also penetrated into Al Faraheen area, destroyed one water well and two rooms.

- ***Miscellaneous***: The occupation forces arrested [31] Palestinians in Negeb desert.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Friday July 5
To: 19.00hrs Saturday July 6

The Israeli occupation forces continue their aggression using wide range of weapons against our people causing more deaths and sufferings.

[4] Palestinians were killed, [38] were injured [13] of them were children and [8] in critical case and [39] were arrested. [275] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [28] Dunams were bulldozed [26] Houses, [9] economic establishments, [34] vehicles, [4] security posts, [6] institutions [2] schools [5] green houses and [1] animal farm were destroyed or damaged [4] New military posts were erected and [1] bypass road was built. Palestinian areas were invaded [19], shelled [21] & bombarded by machinegun fire [37] times.

Israeli occupation army continues occupying almost all the West Bank cities, towns and villages, tightening its control over the Palestinian population, imposing a curfew that puts Palestinians in all the reoccupied cities, under virtual house arrest.

- ***Jerusalem:*** The occupation forces to k over a Palestinian owned building in Samirames neighborhood and transformed it to a military post and kicked out its inhabitants
- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The occupation forces continued to impose a tight siege on the two cities including the presidential HQ, stormed & ransacked houses and public property and fired steel bullets at Palestinians when the curfew was lifted killing Jeres Saman Al Dalo (72) and injuring several others They also opened fire at Palestinians at Sirda & Jaba checkpoints, stormed stores and confiscated vehicles' keys.

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces invaded Beit Foorek village and opened fire injuring two youths and arrested seven Palestinians. They also bombarded the city, Skar, Balata & Ein Beit El Ma'a refugee camp causing damage

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces circled Jenin hospital, stormed houses, held fifteen Palestinians near the industrial zone and opened fire at Palestinian vehicles injuring three citizens and another citizen

Tolkarem: The occupation forces opened fire at a Palestinian vehicle and injured and arrested the driver.

- ***Qalqilya:*** The occupation forces invaded Kofor Kadoum village searched and ransacked houses.
- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces started to build a bypass road leading to Kryat Arba'a settlement.

Bethlehem: The occupation forces stormed houses, arrested Palestinians and opened fire at a Palestinian vehicle injuring two citizens. Jewish settlers threw three Molotof cocktail bombs at a Palestinian house injuring three children and damaging the house

- ***Gaza:*** The occupation forces shot & killed the mother Randa Mohammed Al Hindi (40) and her daughter Nour Al Hindi (2) and injured several others when they opened fire at the Sea road.
- ***Northern Gaza:*** The occupation forces penetrated into Beit Hanoun and opened fire at Palestinian houses.
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces opened fire at Palestinian residential areas killing Khames Sami Shurab (46) inside his house

- ***Rafah:*** The occupation forces penetrated into Soufa crossing area, destroyed two police posts and bulldozed Palestinian land

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Saturday July 6 To: 19.00hrs Sunday July 7

The Israeli occupation forces continue their aggression using wide range of weapons against our people causing more deaths and sufferings

[1] Palestinians child was killed, [18] were injured [4] of them were children and [2] in critical case and [17] were arrested. [140] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [62] Dunams were bulldozed. [13] Houses, [4] economic establishments, [17] vehicles, [3] security posts, [7] institutions [1] mosque, [3] medical centers, [6] green houses & [1] animal farm were destroyed or damaged. [1] New military post was erected and Palestinian areas were invaded [12], shelled [13] & bombarded by machinegun fire [25] times.

Israeli occupation army continues occupying almost all the West Bank cities, towns and villages, tightening its control over the Palestinian population, imposing a curfew that puts Palestinians in all the reoccupied cities, under virtual house arrest.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The occupation forces blew up Al Manama building in Al Tira area and took over the Political & National Orientation offices in Al Birah and turned them into military base Large number of documents was confiscated. One Palestinian was injured when the occupation forces opened fire at him in AL Am̃aari refugee camp.
- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces invaded Beta village, imposed a curfew, searched houses and fired gas bombs causing suffocation to many Palestinians. Four Palestinians were arrested in the raid. The occupation helicopters bombarded areas around the city of Nablus and opened fire at Palestinians wounding seven, one of them critically. The curfew was re-imposed in the city.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces arrested two Palestinians near AL Tamaseeh checkpoint.
- ***Qalqilya***: Shukri Fayeq Abdel Haq [6] died from injuries sustained a week ago when the occupation forces opened fire at Palestinians after the curfew was temporarily lifted. Palestinians are being forced to leave the dead bodies in hospitals, as they can not bury them because of the curfew.
- ***Bethlehem***: The occupation forces raided the General Security prison, searched and ransacked the building and confiscated one vehicle. Meanwhile, two Palestinians were critically wounded when the occupation troops opened fire at them from a short distance. Another one was arrested. Also the occupation forces raided a number of houses in several of the city's villages and attacked and wounded a Palestinian man in AL Doha area.
- ***Northern Gaza***: The occupation forces bombarded Bet Lahia area and Al Nada buildings causing severe damage. Two Palestinians were arrested near Eli Sinai settlement
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces bulldozed tens of dunams north of Khazaa area and opened fire at farmers. One Palestinian was arrested near AL Amal neighborhood.
- ***Rafah***: The occupation forces demolished a National Security post in the area between the city and Sofa checkpoint. They also stormed Palestinian houses in Masbah area and arrested three Palestinians.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Sunday July 7
To: 19.00hrs Monday July 8

The Israeli occupation forces continue their aggression using wide range of weapons against our people causing more deaths and sufferings.

[19] Palestinians were injured [6] of them were children and [2] in critical case and [26] were arrested. [249] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [72] Dunams were bulldozed. [19] Houses, [15] economic establishments, [21] vehicles, [2] security posts, [7] institutions and [2] schools were destroyed or damaged [3] New military posts were erected and. Palestinian areas were invaded [15], shelled [7] & bombarded by machinegun fire [18] times

Israeli occupation army continues occupying almost all the West Bank cities, towns and villages, tightening its control over the Palestinian population, imposing a curfew that puts Palestinians in all the reoccupied cities, under virtual house arrest.

- ***Jerusalem:*** The occupation forces invaded ABU Dies and arrested five Palestinians
- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The occupation forces continue to impose a strict siege on the Presidential HQ, stormed houses, occupied Bani Zied school & transformed it into a military post The also shot and critically injure a pregnant woman at Sirda military checkpoint.

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces shot and injured three Palestinians, destroyed a house and arrested five Palestinians in Rafiedia neighborhood.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces invaded Anza & Ija villages and imposed curfew on them, destroyed an animal farm, damaged public & personal property and held Palestinians returning home Meanwhile, Jewish settlers opened fire and injured two Palestinians

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces invaded the villages of Attara & Zetta, stormed houses and arrested three Palestinians
- ***Salfeet:*** The occupation forces broke into the Palestinian National Security Forces' HQ and held its workers.

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces raided the town of Doura & the Civil Defense HQ, stormed houses, imposed curfew on Beit Omar, erected a military post and confiscated cars.
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces stormed Al Qarara, arrested several citizens and erected a military watchtower in Neveh Deckalem settlement.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Monday July 8
To: 19.00hrs Tuesday July 9

The Israeli occupation forces continue their aggression using wide range of weapons against our people causing more deaths and sufferings.

[2] Palestinians were killed, [23] were injured [5] of them were children and [3] in critical case and [43] were arrested. [1425] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [403] Dunams were bulldozed. [30] Houses, [14] economic establishments, [41] vehicles, [2] security posts, [10] institutions, [2] schools and [1] University were destroyed or damaged. [5] New military posts were erected, [1400] Dunams were confiscated for settlement expansion and [3] bypass roads were built Palestinian areas were invaded [22], shelled [13] & bombarded by machinegun fire [31] times.

Israeli occupation army continues occupying almost all the West Bank cities, towns and villages, tightening its control over the Palestinian population, imposing a curfew that puts Palestinians in all the reoccupied cities, under virtual house arrest.

- ***Jerusalem:*** The occupation shot and killed a 70 – year – old Palestinian in Jabal Al Mokaber and stormed in Al Quds university, forced employees out at gun point, confiscated documents & computers and closed the university They also imposed curfew on the villages of Al Iezarya, Abu Dees & Al Sawahra and took over Palestinian buildings and transformed them into military watchtowers. Meanwhile, Adam Jewish settlers confiscated more than 1400 Dunams of Palestinian owned land in Jaba' village.
- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The occupation forces continue to impose a strict siege on the Presidential HQ, occupied Beit Rima village and imposed curfew on it, gathered Palestinians in public places and attacked them and arrested twenty of them. They also broke into & ransacked the Jordanian press center and confiscated the press cards and passports of the journalists Meanwhile, occupation troops attacked and injured several Palestinians at Sirda military checkpoint.

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces invaded the villages of Tall & Kofor Kalel, stormed and ransacked houses, municipality police & Civil Defense center and arrested five citizens They also opened fire at

Palestinian field of olive & almond trees burning more than 1000 olive tree & 300 almond tree.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces shot and killed Moamer Qasem Daraghma (26) near Al Yamoon village and injured other Palestinians, broke into & ransacked the house of Abdelrazeq Abu Al Hyja (Director of URWA Services) in Jenin refugee camp, confiscated official documents and arrested his son

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces continued to impose curfew on the city and its villages, invaded the refugee camps of Tolkarem & Ein Shams with tanks and heavy bombardment, injured three Palestinians, arrested four others, stormed houses and Palestinian properties
- ***Qalqilya:*** The occupation forces stormed, searched & ransacked Palestinian houses and arrested a Palestinian in Soufeen village

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces raided the towns of Beit Awa & Tafooh with heavy bombardment and imposed curfew on them, arrested & attacked Palestinians, stormed & ransacked houses. They also stormed in Bab Al Zawya, Ein Sarah, Wadi Al Toffah street and the Old City. Meanwhile, Jewish settlers with the collaboration with the occupation army cut off water supply to the village of Bani Naeem causing severe shortage of water.

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces invaded the village of Hossan and imposed curfew on it and continued to storm houses and arrest citizens
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces bombarded residential buildings in the city causing damage
- ***Rafah*** The occupation forces penetrated into Block J & Al Qassass areas, injured three Palestinians, arrested a policeman and bulldozed nine houses
- ***Miscellaneous***. The occupation forces arrested 240 citizens inside the Green Line area.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Tuesday July 9
To: 19.00hrs Wednesday July 10

The Israeli occupation forces continue their aggression using wide range of weapons against our people causing more deaths and sufferings.

[1] Palestinian was killed, [17] were injured [4] of them were children and [2] in critical case and [30] were arrested. [365] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [45] Dunams were bulldozed. [18] Houses, [7] economic establishments, [20] vehicles and [4] institutions were destroyed or damaged. Palestinian areas were invaded [14], shelled [12] & bombarded by machinegun fire [26] times.

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- ***Jerusalem***: The occupation forces confiscated two tractors and three trucks, arrested ten drivers working for Ber Nabala municipality.
- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The occupation forces continue to impose a strict siege on the Presidential HQ and curfew on the entire city and search & ransack houses.
- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces shot dead Rami Ode Al Qatesh (19), injured several others and stormed houses and arrested one citizen.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation tanks opened fire at Palestinians injuring one.
- ***Tolkarem***: The occupation forces shot and injured a Palestinian in Allar village and continued to impose curfew on the city and its villages.
- ***Hebron***: The occupation forces stormed, searched & ransacked Palestinian houses, wounded two Palestinians and arrested another two and raided Taffouh village.
- ***Northern Gaza***: The occupation forces bombarded residential areas in Beit Lahya and the electric transformer causing damage to houses and cutting of the electric supply.
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces erected a military watchtower in Naveh Deckalem settlement and bombarded residential buildings in Namassawi neighborhood causing damage.
- ***Rafah***: The occupation forces penetrated into Al Shaer & Qishta areas, injured one Palestinian and arrested three others and bulldozed one house.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Tuesday July 10 / To: 19.00hrs Wednesday July 11

The Israeli occupation forces continue their aggression using wide range of weapons against our people causing more deaths and sufferings.
[2] Palestinians were killed, [16] were injured [4] of them were children and [2] in critical case and [21] were arrested. [250] Dunams were confiscated for settlement expansion. [275] Trees were burnt or uprooted and [195] Dunams were bulldozed. [16] Houses, [8] economic establishments, [14] vehicles and [6] institutions [1] University and [2] medical clinics were destroyed or damaged. Palestinian areas were invaded [24], shelled [13] & bombarded by machinegun fire [21] times.
Israeli occupation army continues occupying almost all the West Bank cities, towns and villages, tightening its control over the Palestinian population, imposing a curfew that puts Palestinians in all the reoccupied cities, under virtual house arrest.

- ***Jerusalem***: Tens of Jewish settlers, backed by the occupation army, continued bulldozing tens of dunams of land in Al Jeeb and Bet Egza villages, confiscated more than [25] dunams.
- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The occupation forces continue to impose a strict siege on the Presidential HQ and curfew on the entire city and search & ransack houses. They arrested Abdel Al Rahim Al Nobani, and left huge destruction in several villages.
- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces launched house-to-house search and arrested Palestinians in aseera-shamalia and Talouza. They also stormed the RED CRESENT ASSOSSIATION HQ, ransacked properties and arrested three Palestinians.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces imposed a tight curfew on Qabatia under a heavy shelling and detained more than thirty civilians for more than two hours. A cameraman " Saeed Adahala" and " Imad Abu Zahra" were injured and many others were arrested.
- ***Tolkarem***: The occupation forces stormed houses, ransacked properties and arrested one civilian. They also opened fire randomly against civilians in the streets of " Kafr Libad" town.
- ***Qalqilya***: The occupation forces badly injured a civilian after they had opened fire against the Palestinians of Habla village and arrested another in the southern of the city. They also invaded "Jayous" village, leveling and marking a large area of land, opening fire against civilians hence, Ammar Hatem" was injured and arrested. Four others were arrested as well.
- ***Salfeet*** the occupation forces killed the civilian "Zoheir Awad" , 60 , at Howara checkpoint after they prevented the access of an ambulance and detained it for two hours.
- ***Hebron***: The occupation forces imposed a very strict curfew, occupied and transformed many high residential houses into military posts. They also stormed "POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY", ransacked, damaged properties and arrested two employees.
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces heavily shelled and bombarded the Palestinian residential houses westwards and Namsawi neighborhood causing lots of damage. Residents of Al-Mawasi , less than 45, were forbidden from in and out of it. They also closed down Salahddin road and prevented Palestinians from access to their houses, invaded for 300 meters Alfarahin area shelling houses with heavy fire They also occupied two police posts.
- ***Rafah***: Majdi Mahmoud Abu Hajeb died when the occupation forces prevented him from crossing to Egypt for treatment.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Thursday July11
To: 19.00hrs Friday July 12

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The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Thursday July12
To: 19.00hrs Friday July 13

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The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Saturday July13 / To: 19.00hrs Sunday July 14

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[2] Palestinians were killed [25] were injured [9] of them were children and [3] in critical case and [13] were arrested. [532] Trees were uprooted or burnt. [38] Dunams were bulldozed and [11] were confiscated. [22] Houses, [30] vehicles, [5] economic establishments, [5] institutions, [2] schools, [3] mosques, [1] medical center, [10] green houses, [1] animal farm and [3] security posts were destroyed or damaged. [3] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [19], shelled [10] & bombarded by machinegun fire [24] times.

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- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The occupation forces continued besieging the presidential HQ, occupying the two cities and imposing a curfew.
- ***Nablus***: Ghazi Jalal Abu Eiba [19] was killed and five others were wounded when the occupation forces opened fire at Palestinians in Balata refugee camp. The occupation forces also stormed Beita village and forced villagers to concentrate in the village's square, and tightened the curfew imposed in Bet Foureeq, Salem Azmout, Der ALHatab, and Bet Dajan, persecuted and opened fire at Palestinians. All these villages are suffering shortage of food and baby milk.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces invaded the villages of Aneen and Silat Al Daher, raided and searched houses, opened fire and wounded a 13-year-old boy and arrested another one. The curfew was re-imposed in the city and its refugee camps after less than half an hour of having been lifted.
- ***Tolkarem***: The occupation forces invaded Balaa village, besieged three mosques, forced villagers to leave their houses and forced some of them to take off their clothes. The curfew continued to be imposed in the city and most of its villages.
- ***Hebron***: Karmi Tsur Jewish settlers bulldozed [11] dunmas of agricultural land in the village of Bet Amr.
- ***Bethlehem***: The occupation forces attacked and wounded Moahmad Fouad Al Barbari and detained a seven-year-old baby and his father and Jewish settlers attacked and wounded Omar Abu Oura at Housan crossing.
- ***Gaza***: The occupation forces banned the entrance of material needed to repair roads in the city.
- ***Northern Gaza***: The occupation forces shot and killed Nidal Al Amoudi [27] during a raid in Bet Lahia.
- ***Mid Area***: The occupation forces invaed AL Birka area, destroyed a chicken farm with thousands of chickens and bulldozed and destroyed [300] fruitful trees.
- ***Khan Younis***. The occupation F-16 fighter jets bombarded and destroyed a three-story-building. Ten Palestinians were injured.
- ***Rafah***: The occupation forces arrested one Palestinian.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Sunday July14
To: 19.00hrs Monday July 15

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[1] Palestinian was killed [18] were injured [5] of them were children and [3] in critical case and [25] were arrested. [217] Trees were uprooted or burnt. [30] Dunams were bulldozed. [1] Bypass road was built. [12] Houses, [24] vehicles, [10] economic establishments, [5] institutions, [2] schools, [1] medical center, [5] green houses, [1] animal farm and [2] security posts were destroyed or damaged. [2] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [19], shelled [8] & bombarded by machinegun fire [17] times.

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- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The occupation forces continued besieging the presidential HQ, occupying the two cities and imposing a curfew. They also prevented MG. Al Majayda & Al Hindi from reaching president Arafat HQ. Six Palestinians were arrested when the occupation troops stormed and ransacked Ramallah Internet Company. Meanwhile, several Palestinians received military orders confiscating tens of Dunams of Palestinian owned land in Al Birah.
- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces stormed houses, arrested three Palestinians, attacked and wounded one child.
- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces invaded the industrial zone and arrested ten Palestinians.
- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces stormed Baka Al Sharqya village and arrested five Palestinians.
- ***Qalqilya:*** The occupation forces fired stun grenades into a Palestinian factory setting it ablaze and killing Mahmoud Sameer Hillal (22) and injuring fifteen workers.
- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces stormed Palestinian houses and arrested one citizen.
- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces stormed and ransacked Beit Lala Doctors' hostel.
- ***Mid Area:*** under heavy bombardment, the occupation forces invaded AL Birka area causing damage.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Sunday July15 / To: 19.00hrs Monday July 16

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[12] Palestinian were injured [3] of them were children and [1] in critical case and [41] were arrested. [313] Trees were uprooted or burnt. [35] Dunams were bulldozed [19] Houses, [96] vehicles, [9] economic establishments, [5] institutions, [1] school, [1] medical center, [3] green houses, [1] animal farm were destroyed or damaged. [1] New military post was erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [24], shelled [13] & bombarded by machinegun fire [19] times.

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- ***Jerusalem***: The occupation forces demolished a Palestinian's house in Sour Baher area and arrested one Palestinian in Atarout.
- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The occupation forces continued besieging the presidential HQ, occupying the two cities and imposing a curfew. The occupation forces confiscated 80-120 public transportation vehicles and detained most of the drivers as a collective punishment measure. Also the occupation forces invaded the villages of Ein Areek, Der Ballout, and Bet Our, imposed a curfew, searched and ransacked houses and arrested seven Palestinians. A Jewish settler deliberately hit and critically wounded a 44-year-old woman from Der Debwan.
- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces stormed and searched houses in Jaba village, arrested four Palestinians, opened fire and wounded one Palestinian.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces stormed and ransacked tens of houses and arrested a 27-year-old girl. They also besieged and closed down all the roads to the hospital.
- ***Tolkarem***: The occupation forces stormed several houses and arrested two Palestinians.
- ***Qalqilya***: The occupation forces shot and wounded one Palestinian.
- ***Salfeet***: the occupation forces stormed the village of Hares, raided several houses and arrested one Palestinian.
- ***Hebron***: The occupation forces stormed Palestinian houses in the village of Edna and arrested one citizen.
- ***Jericho***: The occupation forces stormed the city and arrested a Palestinian officer.
- ***Gaza***: The occupation forces shot and critically wounded a 76-year-old Palestinian farmer. They also bulldozed several dunams of agricultural land and destroyed tens of trees near Al Muntar crossing.
- ***Mid Area***: the occupation forces invaded the area of Abu Holy, arrested [23] Palestinians and forced them to take off their clothes. They also detained and searched tens of vehicles, stopped an ambulance transporting a dead body and prevented a Red Cross delegation from reaching Khan Younis.
- ***Rafah***: the occupation forces opened fire at residential houses in Qeshta and Al Shaaer areas, causing severe damage.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Tuesday July16
To: 19.00hrs Wednesday July 17

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[2] Palestinian were killed, [23] were injured [7] of them were children and [2] in critical case and [38] were arrested. [254] Trees were uprooted or burnt [47] Dunams were bulldozed. [40] Houses, [46] vehicles, [15] economic establishments, [9] institutions, [4] schools, [4] medical centers, [16] green houses, [1] animal farm, [4] mosques and [3] security posts were destroyed or damaged [8] New military posts were erected Palestinian areas were invaded [31], shelled [17] & bombarded by machinegun fire [35] times

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- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The occupation forces continued besieging the presidential HQ, occupying the two cities and imposing a curfew The occupation forces arrested Sbaih Abu Hmaid a Fatah leader and five foreign peace activists, besieged the Civil Defense HQ in Betounia, invaded Sirda village and searched & ransacked houses and arrested a number of citizens The village of Beit Rima also was invaded and student's hostel was searched

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces searched houses and arrested a number of Palestinians

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces invaded the village of Selat Al Daher, killed a Palestinian and injured four others, demolished a houses, arrested several injured Palestinians and damaged Palestinian property

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces stormed several houses and arrested two Palestinians

- ***Qalqilya:*** The occupation forces shot and killed one Palestinian near Emanuel Jewish settlement.

- ***Salfeet:*** The occupation forces imposed curfew on the villages of Kifil Hareth, Dier Istia and Qirah and took over a Palestinian building and transformed it into a military post.

- ***Hebron:*** Tal Al Romeda Jewish settlers bulldozed three Dunams of Palestinian land and uprooted tens of trees and occupation forces shot and wounded a number of Palestinians, closed Al Dahrya road and arrested one Palestinian from the village of Beit Awa

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces stormed the village of Taqo' searched & ransacked houses and arrested a Palestinian. They also took over a residential building and transformed it into a military post.

- ***Rafah:*** The occupation forces opened fire at residential houses in Al Brazil area injuring three citizens among them an 8 – year – old child

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Wednesday July 17
To: 19.00hrs Thursday July 18

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[4] Palestinians were killed among them [1] child, [22] were injured, [9] of them were children and [3] in critical case and [32] were arrested. [281] Trees were uprooted or burnt. [120] Dunams were bulldozed. [31] Houses, [33] vehicles [1] ambulance, [15] economic establishments, [4] institutions, [3] schools, [2] medical centers, [27] green houses and animal farms, [2] mosques and [3] security posts were destroyed or damaged. [81] Animals and [1080] birds were killed. [5] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [24], shelled [16] & bombarded by machinegun fire [29] times.

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- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: A 7-year-old child and a17-year-old boy were killed when an explosive device went off in Al Amaari refugee camp. Nine others were wounded, among them three children. Meanwhile, the occupation forces continued occupying the two cities including the presidential HQ. and imposing a curfew. The occupation army also erected a number of new military posts to prevent people from moving even when the curfew is temporarily lifted.

- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces invaded the villages of Ouarta, Hizma and Qouseen, raided and searched several houses and arrested five Palestinians.

- ***Jenin***: Amer Ismael Hantouli [22] died from wounds sustained the day before during an occupation raid to Silat Al Daher. Occupation special troops invaded the village of Qabatia and kidnapped Mohammed Abu Al Arab.

- ***Qalqilya***: The occupation forces opened fire at Palestinian workers killing one and critically injuring another at Al Taiba military checkpoint.

- ***Hebron***: The occupation forces invaded the university campus and confiscated documents and equipment.

- ***Mid Area***: The occupation F16 warplanes bombarded a house tools factory between AL Nuseirat and AL Maghazi refugee camps, wounding several Palestinians and causing severe damage. The occupation forces also opened fire at residential areas near Net Sareem Jewish settlement and penetrated in Al Birka area. .

- ***Northern Gaza***: The occupation naval forces opened high caliber machinegun fire at Palestinian fishermen near Bet Lahia causing damage.

- ***Khan Younis***. The occupation forces bombarded residential houses in Al Namsawi neighborhood, invaded Qizan Al Najjar and south west Khan Younis areas, searched houses and arrested [12] Palestinians. Another Palestinian was arrested in Al Mawasi area.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs ThursdayJuly18
To: 19.00hrs Friday July 19

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[16] Palestinians were wounded among them [3] children, [1] critical case and [48] were arrested. [80] Trees were uprooted or burnt. [46] Houses, [38] vehicles, [18] economic establishments, [3] institutions, [1] medical center, [12] green houses and animal farms, [1] mosques and [3] security posts were destroyed or damaged. [2] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [11], shelled [14] & bombarded by machinegun fire [19] times.

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- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The occupation forces continue occupying and imposing a curfew on the two cities including the presidential HQ. Also the occupation forces invaded the village of Cobar, opened fire at residential areas, searched houses and arrested four Palestinians.
- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces blew up several houses in Askar refugee camp and the villages of Tal and Barka and arrested [33] Palestinians. Several houses, vehicles and properties were also damaged.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces prevented one Palestinian patient from travelling to Jordan for medical treatment despite his critical health condition.
- ***Qalqilya***: The occupation forces invaded and ransacked several houses and arrested [9] Palestinians.
- ***Hebron***: The occupation forces blew up one house in the western part of the city. They also invaded the villages of Dora, Toffah. Bani Naeem and Bet Ommar, raided and searched houses, opened fire and arrested three Palestinians. The occupation army also closed AL Ibrahimi mosque and prevented prayers from reaching the sanctuary, which was opened for Jews only.
- ***Bethlehem***: The occupation forces opened fire at Palestinian children in AL Doheishe refugee camp wounding two of them. The occupation army also invaded and searched the Nativity Church and Al Manara Square and detained two Civil Defense vehicles.
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces stormed Al Qarara, raided several houses and attacked the owners.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Friday July19 / To: 19.00hrs Saturday July 20

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the territory. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, many Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is believed to be verging on serious malnutrition.

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- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The occupation forces continue occupying and imposing a curfew on the two cities including the presidential HQ.
- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces stormed houses and arrested Dr. Abdulraheem Al Hanbali and four others.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces invaded the village of Borqeen and arrested six Palestinians, invaded Anza village, imposed curfew on it, stormed houses and arrested several citizens and arrested a policeman in Kofor Rae'.
- ***Tolkarem***: The occupation forces stormed houses and arrested three Palestinians in Baqa Al Sharqya.
- ***Qalqilya***: The occupation forces shot and critically injured a Palestinian old man and prevented his transfer to the hospital in Azzoune village.
- ***Hebron***: The occupation forces imposed curfew on the village of Bani Naeem, shot and injured many Palestinians, ransacked the Islamic Committee HQ and arrested a nurse. Jewish settlers bulldozed three Dunams of vine in Al Bouera.
- ***Bethlehem***: The occupation forces re - imposed curfew on the entire city, opened fire at Palestinians wounding a number of them. They also held Palestinian vehicles and confiscated keys in Al Khader.
- ***Northern Gaza***: The occupation forces opened fire at Beit Hanoun area causing damage.
- ***Mid Area***. The occupation forces penetrated into Abu Al Ajeen area and bulldozed a house, raided Wadi Al Salqa area, stormed houses and arrested seven Palestinians and destroyed a store and a house.
- ***Khan Younis*** The occupation forces penetrated into Abassan Al Jadeda area, destroyed a house & a water well and bulldozed (36) Dunams of agricultural land.
- ***Rafah***: Adel Abdelrazeq Abu Shabab (27) died of wounds sustained previously when the occupation Apaches bombarded a Palestinian vehicle. The occupation forces raided Al Brazil neighborhood and bulldozed a number of houses and workshops.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Saturday July20
To: 19.00hrs Sunday July 21

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[11] Palestinians were wounded, among them [3] children, and [16] were arrested. [1290] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [610] Dunams were confiscated. [14] Houses, [11] vehicles, [6] economic establishments, [3] institutions, [1] school, [1] medical center, [1] water well, [3] green houses and animal farms and [1] security post were destroyed or damaged. Palestinian areas were invaded [20], shelled [10] & bombarded by machinegun fire [17] times.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The two cities, including the presidential Hq. continue under siege and curfew. The occupation forces shot and wounded a 53-year-old Palestinian when he was traveling in his vehicle near the Jewish only settlement of Bet El.

- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces invaded the villages of Rojib and Aseera, stormed and searched houses and the doctors building, gathered residents in a public square and arrested eight Palestinians.

- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces stormed the village of Aneen, searched and ransacked houses and arrested two young Palestinians. They also started work on the new settlement bypass, which include the confiscation of more than [550] dunams of land.

- ***Hebron***: The occupation forces stormed and ransacked houses and arrested a number of Palestinian.

- ***Gaza***: The occupation forces issued military orders confiscating [60] dunams to be annexed to the Jewish settlement of Net Sareem.

- ***Northern Gaza***: The occupation forces opened machinegun fire at residential areas in the village of Um Al Nasser causing damage.

- ***Mid Area***: The occupation forces opened high caliber machinegun fire at Al Mazraa area severely damaging houses and properties.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Sunday July 21
To: 19.00hrs Monday July 22

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

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- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The two cities, including the presidential HQ. continue under siege and curfew and the occupation forces stormed houses in Kherba area and arrested one Palestinians.

- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces stormed and arrested six Palestinians.

- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces shot and injured one Palestinian in Yabad village.

- ***Tolkarem***: The occupation forces raided Dair Al Ghossoun village, stormed houses and arrested four Palestinians; erected two roadblocks, stormed Kofor Al Lebad, searched houses and transformed some of them into military posts, shot and wounded one citizen and imposed curfew on Alar town.

- ***Qalqilya***: Jewish settlers set ablaze tens of Dunams of agricultural land in Jensafoot village.

- ***Hebron***: Jewish settlers bulldozed vast areas of Palestinian land and shot and wounded a Palestinian.

- ***Bethlehem***: The occupation forces imposed curfew on the village of Hossan and searched & ransacked houses.

- ***Northern Gaza***: The occupation forces bombarded residential areas in Beit Hanoun causing damage to Palestinian houses. They also arrested a Palestinian worker at Eretz crossing.

- ***Mid Area***: The occupation forces shot & killed Imad Moussa Abu Iesha (21) in Dier Al Balah.

- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces opened high caliber machinegun fire at residential neighborhoods critically injuring two Palestinians. They also arrested one Palestinian at Gush Qatief junction and closed Al Toffah military checkpoint.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Monday July 22
To: 19.00hrs Tuesday July 23

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[21] Palestinian were killed, [15] of them assassinated, among them [9] children, including a two-month-old baby, [211] were injured, among them [139] children and [42] critical cases, and [39] were arrested [226] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [25] Dunams were bulldozed. [69] Houses, [50] vehicles, [19] economic establishments, [6] institutions, [5] schools, [2] medical centers, [3] mosque, [2] ambulances, [9] green houses and animal farms and [3] security post were destroyed or damaged. [2] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [23], shelled [18] & bombarded by machinegun fire [35] times.

- ***Jerusalem:*** The occupation forces raided and searched houses in Abu Deis, attacked and wounded Palestinians and arrested three.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The two cities, including the presidential HQ. continue under siege and curfew and the occupation forces stormed houses in Kherba area and arrested three Palestinians.

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces killed three Palestinians, stormed and ransacked houses and attacked inhabitants.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces invaded the city after the curfew was lifted and opened fire at Palestinians and their houses.

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces stormed and ransacked several houses and arrested five Palestinians.

- ***Qalqilya:*** A 55-year-old Palestinian farmer died from wounds sustained a week earlier when the occupation forces shot him while working in his farm near the village of Azzoun. The occupation army also invaded the village of Hejja, imposed curfew, gathered Palestinians in the village's square and arrested a number of them.

- ***Salfeet:*** The occupation forces stormed several of the city's villages, raided a number of houses, imposed curfew and bulldozed and damaged houses and public installations.

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces stormed the village of Bet Amr, imposed curfew, forced people to gather at the Big Mosque and closed down the entrance of the village of Tafouh. One Palestinian was arrested in the village of Bani Naeem.

- ***Jericho:*** The occupation forces arrested ten Palestinians in the village of Ein Bathan

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces raided, searched and ransacked several houses and arrested two Palestinians.

- ***Gaza:*** The occupation forces assassinated [15] Palestinians, among them [9] children including a two-month-old baby in a missile attacked on an apartment building in one of the most densely populated areas in the world. [175] were wounded, among them [87] children.

- ***Northern Gaza:*** The occupation forces bombarded residential areas in Beit Lahia causing property damage.

- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces shot and killed two Palestinians near the military checkpoint of Kesofeem. The occupation forces also bombarded residential areas in Al Namsawi neighborhood wounding three, one of them critically They also shelled residential areas in Zourob, wounded a number of citizens, imposed a curfew in Al Mawasi area, took over tens of dunams of agricultural land north of Khan Younis and closed down the road between Al Amal and Al Satr Al Gharbi

- ***Rafah:*** The occupation forces penetrated tens of meters in the city and bombarded residential areas in the neighborhoods of Qeshta and Al Shaer, wounding ten Palestinians, three of them critically.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Tuesday July 23
To: 19.00hrs Wednesday July 24

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[3] Palestinian children were killed, [31] were injured, among them [6] children and [4] critical cases, and [22] were arrested. [185] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [30] Dunams were bulldozed. [17] Houses, [12] vehicles, [7] economic establishments, [4] institutions, [1] school, [1] medical center, [3] green houses and animal farms and [2] security post were destroyed or damaged. [2] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [20], shelled [14] & bombarded by machinegun fire [23] times.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The two cities, including the presidential HQ. continue under siege and curfew and the occupation forces stormed houses in Kofor Ein and arrested three Palestinians and bulldozed dirt roads in Rafat village

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation Apaches bombarded the residential neighborhoods and injured eleven Palestinians, stormed houses and arrested many Palestinians and invaded Marka village, stormed houses and arrested a number of citizens.

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces invaded the refugee camp, imposed curfew on the villages of Irtah and Faroon village.

- ***Salfeet:*** The occupation forces stormed Kofor Ein village, broke into the National Security HQ and arrested three Palestinians. They also imposed curfew on the towns of Qarawet Bani Zaed & Jamaeen.

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces stormed houses in the village of Tarqomia and arrested four Palestinians. Meanwhile, Jewish settlers attacked and ransacked Palestinian stores in the Municipality area.

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces raided, searched and ransacked a Palestinian house and arrested one citizen.

- ***Jericho:*** The occupation forces invaded the city center and broke into the house of colonel, Abdelkader Ewedat, shot & injured his wife and daughter and arrested a number of Palestinians.

- ***Gaza:*** Three Palestinian children of one family were found dead under the rubble of the destroyed buildings in the aftermath of the occupation F16 warplanes bombardment of the residential area in Gaza.

- ***Northern Gaza:*** The occupation forces closed the Industrial Zone area

- ***Mid Area:*** The occupation forces bombarded Palestinian houses adjacent to Kfar Darom settlement and penetrated into Al Hekr area and closed the main road.

- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces bombarded residential areas in Al Namsawi, Alzarbe & Al Najar neighborhoods causing damage and took over and closed down the road between Al Amal and Al Satr Al Gharbi. They also prevented a Red Cross Committee delegation from delivering medicine to Al Mawassi area.

- ***Rafah:*** The occupation forces bombarded residential areas in the neighborhood of Tal Al Sultan injuring eight Palestinians and causing damage to a house.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Wednesday July 24 / To: 19.00hrs Thursday July 25

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[1] Palestinian was killed, [23] were injured, among them [7] children and [2] critical cases, and [122] were arrested. [323] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [70] Dunams were bulldozed and [3000] dunams were confiscated. [22] Houses, [118] vehicles, [5] economic establishments, [3] institutions, [2] school, [1] medical center, [1] mosque, [3] green houses and [1] animal farm and [2] security post were destroyed or damaged. [5] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [24], shelled [15] & bombarded by machinegun fire [29] times.

- ***Jerusalem***: The occupation forces raided several villages and neighborhoods, searched Palestinian houses, confiscated [78] public transportation vehicles and erected three new military posts.
- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The two cities, including the presidential HQ. continue under siege and curfew and the occupation forces stormed houses in the villages around Ramallah, arrested a number of Palestinian and deported eighth of the to Jordan.
- ***Nablus***: The occupation forces stormed the villages of Broqeen, Arraq Tal and Boureen, opened fire and raided houses, arrested [100] Palestinians, demolished three houses and set fire in an agricultural area One Palestinians was inured in the raid.
- ***Jenin***: An explosive device went off near a taxi cap in the refugee camp wounding ten Palestinians. The occupation forces are marking tens of dunams of land to expand their security wall threatening to confiscate the land.
- ***Tolkarem***: The occupation forces invaded the city, re- imposed the curfew, stormed and searched houses and arrested a number of Palestinians One Palestinian was wounded.
- ***Qalqilya*** Sami Suleiman Abu Salah died from wounds sustained earlier when the occupation forces shot and wounded him near Al Taiba checkpoint Another Palestinian was hit and wounded by a military jeep. The occupation forces invaded the city and re-imposed the curfew, bombarded houses and arrested four. They also besieged the Preventive Security HQ opened fire wounding one Palestinian and prevented ambulances from reaching the area.
- ***Mid Area***: The occupation forces closed down Abu Holy crossing, opened fire at residential areas, stormed houses in Al Birka and arrested one Palestinian
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces penetrated hundreds of meters in the western area and Khazzaa, opened fire at residential areas, raided and searched houses, arrested two Palestinians, partially demolished a Palestinian's house, bulldozed vast area of land, destroyed tens of olive trees, erected a new military post. More than [20] occupation soldiers took position atop of Al Awda Mosque

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Thursday July 25
To: 19.00hrs Friday July 26

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[1] Palestinian was killed, [25] were injured, among them [8] children and [5] critical cases, and [23] were arrested. [293] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [20] Dunams were bulldozed. [32] Houses, [23] vehicles, [9] economic establishments, [3] institutions, [1] school, [1] medical center, [2] mosques, [3] green houses and animal farms and [1] security post were destroyed or damaged. [2] New military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [20], shelled [17] & bombarded by machinegun fire [29] times

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue under siege and curfew and the occupation forces arrested Abdul Fattah Ghanem, the President adviser for refugee affairs.

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces fired gas bombs and attacked a mosque in the village of Al Laban, beat and wounded a number of prayers.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces re-imposed the curfew after less than half an hour of being lifted and opened fire on shops and houses wounding one Palestinian They also reoccupied and re-imposed curfew in the villages of Al Yamoon and Qabatia, blew up the village's sports club, stormed and searched several houses and arrested four citizens

- ***Qalqilya:*** The occupation forces invaded Geyada neighborhood, shot and killed Ahmad Al Haj and critically wounded Ziad Ahmad Juedi. They also stormed and ransacked houses and bulldozed vast area in the northern neighborhood

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces stormed the village of Edna and Al Fawar refugee camp, besieged one mosque, searched and ransacked houses. Jewish settlers, under protection of the occupation army destroyed tens of fruitful trees near the Jewish settlement of Kharsena, attacked and stole shops.

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces arrested [15] Palestinians in several parts of the city.

- ***Gaza:*** The occupation forces stormed Al Zeitun neighborhood, under heavy machinegun fire, destroyed several metal factories and damaged more than ten houses, the electricity generator, and several vehicles Eight Palestinians were injured, four of them critically

- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces bombarded residential areas in Al Gharbi refugee camp, Al Mashroua and AL Namsawi neighborhoods injuring four Palestinians, among them a seven-month-old bay, who was critically wounded.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People

From: 19.00hrs Friday July 26

To: 19.00hrs Saturday July 27

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[1] Palestinian was killed, [17] were injured, among them [6] children and [1] critical case, and [25] were arrested. [102] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [209] Dunams were bulldozed. [8] Houses, [18] vehicles, [4] economic establishments, [1] school, [1] medical center, [3] green houses and animal farms and [1] security post was destroyed or damaged. Palestinian areas were invaded [12], shelled [7] & bombarded by machinegun fire [19] times.

- *Ramallah & Al Birah:* The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue under siege and curfew.
- *Nablus:* The occupation forces invaded Salem village and held some drivers and vehicles.
- *Tolkarem:* The occupation forces opened fire at houses causes damage and arrested four Palestinians.
- *Qalqilya:* The occupation forces penetrated into the village of Kofor Tholoth, bulldozed more than fifty olive tree, bulldozed (200) Dunams of Palestinian land in Dair Al Ghossoun and closed roads leading to the area.
- *Hebron:* Under heavy bombardment, the occupation forces invaded the towns of Dora & Yatta injuring many Palestinians and damaging property, imposed curfew on the towns, stormed houses and ransacked the police station and arrested the policemen.
- *Gaza:* The occupation forces bulldozed tens of olive trees near the settlement of Nitsarem and opened fire at a Palestinian factory.
- *Northern Gaza:* Anwar Mohammed Fayad (30) died of wounds sustained when the occupation forces shot him. Meanwhile, the occupation forces penetrated in Om Al Nasser village and opened fire at Ai Nada towers.
- *Khan Younis:* The occupation forces bombarded residential areas in Al Sater Al Gharbi injuring one Palestinian and ordered a Palestinian farmer to remove his green houses.
- *Rafah:* The occupation forces arrested three Palestinians.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Saturday July 27
To: 19.00hrs Sunday July 28

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[1] Palestinian was killed, [32] were injured, among them [7] children and [5] critical cases, and [29] were arrested. [151] Trees were uprooted or burnt, [13] Dunams were bulldozed and [11] thousand dunams were closed down. [65] Houses, [38] vehicles, [17] economic establishments, [4] school, [3] medical center, [6] institutions [7] green houses and animal farms and [3] security post were destroyed or damaged. [3] New Israeli military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [15], shelled [13] & bombarded by machinegun fire [29] times

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah***: The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue under siege and curfew. The occupation forces also invaded the campus of Beir Zeit University, attacked professors and students, opened fire at two Palestinians in Betunia. The two were injured and arrested.
- ***Jenin***: The occupation forces invaded several of the city's villages, opened indiscriminate fire at Palestinians and their houses. A 12-year-old Palestinian child was critically wounded in the village of Al Yamoun. The occupation Apaches bombarded a Palestinian's house in the village of Barqeen, and an occupation tank bombarded and damaged another house in Al Hadaf neighborhood.
- ***Qalqilya***: The occupation forces marked areas of land around the village of Jayous in order to confiscate [11] thousands dunams of the villages land, including [9] water wells.
- ***Salfeet***: The occupation forces raided, searched and ransacked Palestinians' houses in the village of Al Zaweya and arrested one Palestinian.
- ***Hebron***: Jewish settlers who invaded the area of Al Ibahimi mosque shot a14-year-old girl to death. Twenty-three were wounded, three of them critically and six are children. A Jewish settlers' vehicle also ran over an animal-drawn cart wounding six family members Jewish settlers also invaded and set fire into several Palestinian houses and attacked a Palestinian woman. Meanwhile, the occupation forces stormed, searched and ransacked Palestinian houses in the villages of Edna and Yatta and arrested a number of Palestinians.
- ***Khan Younis***: The occupation forces stormed the area of Al Farraheen, opened fire at residential areas and caused severe damage
- ***Rafah***: The occupation forces fired stun grenades and high caliber machineguns at Palestinian houses in Tal Al Sultan neighborhood.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Sunday July 28
To: 19.00hrs Monday July 29

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[1] Palestinian was killed, [16] were injured, among them [7] children and [5] critical cases, and [19] were arrested. [123] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [30] Dunams were bulldozed. [16] Houses, [23] vehicles, [7] economic establishments, [1] school, [1] mosque, [3] institutions [3] green houses and animal farms and [1] security post was destroyed or damaged. [1] New Israeli military post was erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [14], shelled [11] & bombarded by machinegun fire [21] times.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue under siege and curfew. The occupation forces also invaded the town of Betonia, shot & killed Mamoon Mohy-edeen Al Zebn (18), injured one Palestinian, stormed Palestinian houses and arrested five citizens.

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces stormed the village of Beit Dajan, stormed & searched houses and arrested one Palestinian.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces detonated a vehicle and arrested one Palestinian.

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces arrested one Palestinian, closed Faroon junction and Palestinian vehicles and held drivers.

- ***Northern Gaza:*** The occupation forces bombarded Palestinian houses in Beit Lahya injuring a child and damaging houses and bulldozed tens of Dunams of Palestinian agricultural land.

- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces bombarded houses in Al Gharbi & al Namsawi areas injuring five Palestinians including two children.

- ***Rafah:*** The occupation forces bulldozed several houses in Al Shara neighborhood and shot and injured one citizen. They also closed down Rafah border crossing.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Monday July 29
To: 19.00hrs Tuesday 30

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[1] Palestinian was killed, a 9-month old baby, [15] were injured, among them [1] child, and [58] were arrested. [630] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [55] Dunams were bulldozed. [18] Houses, [12] vehicles among them 2 ambulances, [7] economic establishments, [4] institutions, [4] security posts were destroyed or damaged. [4] New Israeli military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [8], shelled [6] & bombarded by machinegun fire [13] times.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue under siege and curfew. The occupation forces also invaded the village of Jafna, stormed Palestinian houses. The occupation soldiers stole jewelry and money (5500$ from the house of Jeries Dawoud, a 10000 value jewelry, 1000 JD and 900NIS and 300 $ from the house of Samer Salama).
- ***Nablus:*** A 9-month-old baby, MADLIN NASASRA, died at Bet Foureek checkpoint, when the occupation forces prevented the ambulance from reaching the hospital. The occupation soldiers also opened fire at another ambulance at Zouta checkpoint. They also invaded Beit Fureek and Jamm'in villages and arrested a number of Palestinians. Yetshaar and Brakha Jewish settlers set fire in hundreds of dunams of land destroying hundreds of olive trees and the occupation forces prevented fire fighters from reaching the site. The settlers also opened fire at Palestinians wounding a number of them.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces invaded the city, refugee camp and the village of Qabatia, opened fire at residential houses, including the house of PLC member, Fakhri Turkman, transformed several houses into military posts, arrested a number of Palestinians and took over fields and farms and turned them into military posts.
- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces arrested a number of Palestinians.
- ***Qalqilya:*** The occupation forces tightened curfew in several of the city's villages and neighborhoods, raided, searched and ransacked houses and arrested a police officer and anther Palestinian. Meanwhile, Jewish settlers destroyed [70] olive trees in the village of Kofor Kaddoum.
- ***Salfeet:*** The occupation forces tightened curfew in Jammaeen and north of the city.
- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces continue searching and ransacking residential houses, government and private institutions in several villages. Tens of Palestinians have been arrested. Jewish settlers also invaded the Ministry of Religious Affairs, ransacked the building and attacked employees.
- ***Northern Gaza:*** The occupation forces bombarded Palestinian areas near Bet Hanoun and the American School and stormed and bombarded Al Nada Buildings, causing severe damage.
- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces bulldozed vast areas of land near Netser Hazani Jewish settlement and erected a new military post. .

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Tuesday July 30 To: 19.00hrs Wednesday 31

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[1] Palestinian was killed, [23] were injured, among them [8] children, [3] critically and [106] were arrested. [103] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [136] Dunams were bulldozed. [44] Houses, [21] vehicles, [9] economic establishments, [5] institutions, [2] clinics, [2] security posts and [5] green houses were destroyed or damaged. [143] Dunams were confiscated for settlement expansion and [2] settlement outposts were established. [2] New Israeli military posts were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [16], shelled [9] & bombarded by machinegun fire [27] times.

- *Jerusalem:* The occupation forces confiscated [143] Dunams of land belonging to Armenian Church and arrested [50] Palestinians among them [12] girls from Issawya area.

- *Ramallah & Al Birah:* The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue under siege and curfew and the shepherd Attal Aloozi (68) was killed when Jewish settlers deliberately run over him. The occupation forces also established a new settlement post near Ofra settlement.

- *Nablus:* The occupation forces invaded Assera Ashamalya village, searched & ransacked houses, arrested Fatah Secretary general & two others and closed down the road of Yanon - Awerta which is under curfew. Meanwhile, Itamar Jewish settlers attacked and injured a Palestinian, opened fire at a Palestinian bus and attacked villagers in Yanon village.

- *Jenin:* The occupation forces detonated a three - story compound and caused damage to nearby houses, searched & ransacked houses, arrested a number of citizens and shot & injured one Palestinian. They also invaded Arraba village and arrested two Palestinians.

- *Qalqilya:* The occupation forces stormed in the western neighborhood, searched houses and arrested one Palestinian.

- *Hebron:* The occupation forces opened fire at a municipal vehicle, invaded Surra village and held hundreds of youths in public places and arrested four Palestinians and bulldozed vast areas of Palestinian agricultural land in Al Baqa area. Meanwhile, the city suffers a severe shortage in basic food and baby milk.

- *Bethlehem:* The occupation forces searched & ransacked two houses and arrested three Palestinians

- *Khan Younis:* The occupation forces bombarded residential neighborhoods injuring four Palestinians and damaging houses, stopped & searched Palestinian vehicles at Al Matahen military checkpoint, searched houses in Al Mawassi area and arrested thirty Palestinians and bulldozed Dunams of land, greenhouses and trees.

- *Rafah:* The occupation forces bulldozed houses and olive trees in Al Salam area.

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Letter dated 19 August 2002 from the Permanent Observer for Palestine to the United Nations Office at Geneva addressed to the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights

Please find herewith enclosed* for information memorandums issued by the Palestinian National Authority on the Israeli daily aggressions against the Palestinian people in the occupied Palestinian territories, for the period from Sunday 11 to Sunday 18 August 2002, all of which constitute violations of human rights and grave violations categorized according to international humanitarian law as war crimes and crimes against humanity, particularly the continued Israeli acts of deliberate killing, house demolitions, besieging Palestinian towns, villages and camps, imposing collective punishments, severe restrictions on the movement of Palestinians and a suffocating curfew which obviously endangers the lives of thousands of Palestinian civilians who are denied access to food, water, medicine and even to hospitals for getting urgent treatment.

In this respect, the Palestinian Ministry of Health issued two days ago an appeal to the world humanitarian organizations, affirming that as a result of these Israeli practices, the Palestinian society in the West Bank and Gaza is threatened with a definite humanitarian catastrophe, as many Palestinians are suffering from anaemia due to the lack of food, and widespread epidemics among Palestinians, mainly among children, due to the lack of medicine and appropriate vaccines.

I would be most grateful if you could have this note and its enclosure distributed to the members of the Commission on Human Rights, as an official document of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission.

(Signed) Nabil RAMLAWI
Ambassador
Permanent Observer

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Annex

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People

From: 19.00hrs Sunday, August 11

To: 19.00hrs Monday, August 12

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- *Ramallah & Al Birah:* The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue to be under siege. They also invaded AL Ranteese Village and arrested four Palestinians. Meanwhile, They also stormed in Ofer detention camp, which houses 1400 Palestinian detainees, searched tents, attacked the detainees and destroyed personal properties.

- *Nablus:* The occupation forces continued to impose curfew on several neighborhoods, towns and villages. They also launched house-to-house searches and damaged houses and shops. The occupation forces invaded Beit Foreek village and arrested seven Palestinians.

- *Jenin:* The occupation forces invaded AL Yamoon & Ya'bad village, searched houses, arrested a number of Palestinians and executed the youth Ghazal Freehat (20).

- *Tolkarem:* The occupation forces invaded Rameen Village, searched & ransacked houses and arrested a number of Palestinians.

- *Hebron:* The occupation forces invaded AL Kassara area, blew up a shoe factory and arrested its owner.

- *Jericho:* The occupation forces prevented pregnant lady, Taghreed Abu Isleem (29), from reaching the hospital.

- *Khan Younis:* The occupation forces arrested a Palestinians at AL Matehen junction.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Monday, August 12
To: 19.00hrs Tuesday, August 13

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[26] Palestinians were injured, among them [7] children, [3] critically and [19] were arrested. [1228] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [157] Dunams were bulldozed and [200] were confiscated. [29] Houses, [31] vehicles, [23] economic establishments, [2] schools and [7] green houses and animal farms were destroyed or damaged. [1] New Israeli military post was erected in Palestinian areas and Palestinian areas were invaded [23], shelled [18] & bombarded by machinegun fire [31] times.

- ***Jerusalem:*** The occupation forces shot and critically wounded one Palestinian young at a military checkpoint.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue to be under Israeli military occupation and siege.

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces continued to impose curfew on several neighborhoods, towns and villages, and the occupation troops invaded several houses in the village of Bet Dajan and arrested six Palestinians. . Four others were arrested in Balata refugee camp.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces invaded Anza, Aneen & Jabaa villages, opened high caliber machinegun fire at residential areas wounding seven Palestinians and prevented ambulances from reaching the spot. A curfew was imposed in the village of Jabaa. The occupation soldiers also took over several houses and a school and humiliated villagers.

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation authorities started the topographic works in the lands of Wadi Al Sham, north of the city, where the security wall will be built. The occupation forces also started the works for a new settlement road in Al Shweka lands. More than [200] dunams will be confiscated for this purpose.

- ***Qalqilya:*** The occupation forces invaded the city and raided and searched several houses.

- ***Salfeet:*** The occupation forces arrested one Palestinian at Der Astia military checkpoint.

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces destroyed a family house in Al Daheria and caused severe damage to several nearby houses, definitely closed several shops near a Jewish settlement post and arrested a number of Palestinians in Bab Al Zaweya. Meanwhile, Jewish settlers ransacked and vandalized several shops near the settlement post.

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces destroyed a family house in Al Doha without allowing owners to take out their properties and caused severe damage to nearby houses.

- ***Northern Gaza:*** The occupation forces bombarded several times Palestinian areas near the Jewish settlements of Dugit and Eli Sainai causing severe damage. They also arrested one Palestinian worker in his way to his job in Bet Hanoun. Meanwhile, the occupation forces continued for the third consecutive day to bulldoze agricultural lands east of Bet Hanoun, where more than [80] dunams have been destroyed, including water wells and supplies network.

- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces penetrated Palestinian areas in Khazaa, bulldozed more than [50] dunams of land and destroyed large number of olive and other fruitful trees.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Tuesday, August 13 / To: 19.00hrs Wednesday, August 14

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[1] Palestinian was killed, [19] were injured, among them [5] children, [2] critically and [35] were arrested. [43] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [18] Dunams were bulldozed. [31] Houses, [23] vehicles, [19] economic establishments, [1] school, [1] institution, [2] security posts were destroyed or damaged. [3] New Israeli military posts were erected in Palestinian areas and Palestinian areas were invaded [16], shelled [14] & bombarded by machinegun fire [29] times.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue to be under Israeli military occupation and siege and the occupation troops invaded the village of Dair Debwan, stormed houses and arrested one Palestinian. Meanwhile, Bait Eel Jewish settlers fenced off (1000) Dunams of land in the villages of Dora Al Qare & Yabrood.

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces continued to impose curfew on several neighborhoods, towns and villages, searched, ransacked & damaged houses and arrested three Palestinians. They occupation troops bombarded houses injuring two citizens in Balata refugee camp.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces invaded Toubass village, opened high caliber machinegun fire at residential areas, bulldozed one family house and caused damage to adjacent houses, killed Nasser Jarar (42), injured another Palestinian and prevented ambulances from reaching the spot. They also bombarded residential areas in the city, ransacked houses, invaded several villages and arrested three Palestinians.

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces re-imposed curfew on the city, attacked citizens and vehicles, erected roadblocks, forces Palestinians to take off their clothes at gun point and opened fire at Palestinians.

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces invaded Al Daheria, destroyed a family house in and caused severe damage to several nearby houses, took over a three-story-

house, kicked out its residents and transformed it into a military post and continued to demolish stores in the old city. Meanwhile, Sefer Jewish settlers attached and injured an elderly man in Bani Naim village.

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces vandalized and closed a family house in Al Khader village.

- ***Northern Gaza:*** The occupation forces bombarded Palestinian areas near the Jewish settlements of Dugit and Eli Sainai causing severe damage. They also bulldozed agricultural lands and trees east of Bet Hanoun.

- ***Mid Area:*** The occupation frigates bombarded the fishery market setting it to fire in Dier Al Balah. The occupation tanks penetrated into Al Birka area and destroyed a water main force.

- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces invaded Khazaa area, searched houses and arrested six Palestinians. They also bombarded several neighborhoods in the city causing damage.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Wednesday, August 14
To: 19.00hrs Thursday, August 15

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[2] Palestinians were killed, [21] were injured, among them [7] children, [3] critically and [18] were arrested. [350] Trees were uprooted or burnt and [73] Dunams were bulldozed. [24] Houses, [19] vehicles, [12] economic establishments, [1] school, [1] institution, [1] farm and [3] green houses were destroyed or damaged. [3] New Israeli military posts were erected in Palestinian areas and Palestinian areas were invaded [11], shelled [17] & bombarded by machinegun fire [43] times.

- *Jerusalem:* The Israeli occupation forces demolished a commercial store in Ras el Amood neighborhood.

- *Ramallah & Al Birah:* The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue to be under Israeli military occupation and siege and the occupation troops invaded BirZeit town, stormed and ransacked houses and arrested two Palestinians. Meanwhile, the Israeli troops bulldozed a Palestinian security position in Sateh Marhaba area where two tanks and three APC's were stationed.

- *Nablus:* The occupation forces continue to impose curfew on several neighborhoods, towns and villages, searched, ransacked & damaged houses and arrested three Palestinians in the Tel village. Meanwhile, Jewish settlers backed by the occupation troops took over a house in the village of Luban al-Shark yeh, confiscated vehicles and imposed [$1200] fine upon the owners.

- *Jenin:* The occupation forces killed an 18-year-old teenager "Nidhal Dharagma" when they used him as a "human shield" to assassinate "Nasr Jarrar", 45, disabled. They also bulldozed more than 30 Dunams, uprooted hundreds of olive trees in Ateyba area to erect the separation fence. They also imposed a curfew on the town of Burqin, searched and ransacked houses and burnt a 2-story building completely. The occupation forces started to expand the

Jewish-only settlement of "Mabodotan B" in Ya'abd area , opened a bypass road on Palestinian agricultural lands and opened fire and prevented farmers to access their farms. They also collected a [180] INS traffic fines from Palestinian drivers.

- ***Qalqilya:*** The occupation forces imposed a strict curfew on the towns of "Habla" and "Azzoun", stormed and searched houses, attacked Palestinians and forced them to take off their clothes and arrested several citizens.

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation forces bulldozed 3 dunams in Al Arrouj village dug huge trenches (5m. width, 3m. depth) which caused severe damage to an adjacent house.

- ***Gaza:*** The occupation forces backed up by tanks penetrated more than [2 km.] in Wadi Gaza area, stormed and searched houses and arrested a Palestinian. Meanwhile, the occupation forces continued to loot the fertile soil near Netzarim Jewish-only settlement and transferred more than [30] truck-loads into the Green Line.

- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces killed a 5-year-old boy with a bullet in the head from a tank positioned near "Gani Tal" Jewish -only settlement when they opened fire at residential houses. Several Palestinians were also injured, one critically. They also prevented ambulances from access and opened fire at them causing damage.

- ***Rafah:*** The occupation forces opened fire at the residential houses in Rafah Refugee Camp, [2] children were wounded. They also stormed and searched houses and arrested [3] Palestinians.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Thursday, August 15
To: 19.00hrs Friday, August 16

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[2] Palestinians were killed, [23] were injured, among them [5] children, [1] critically and [30] were arrested. [23] Houses, [19] vehicles, [9] economic establishments, [2] institutions and [1] farm were destroyed or damaged. [1] New settlement road was built and [1] new Israeli military post was erected in Palestinian areas and Palestinian areas were invaded [4], shelled [14] & bombarded by machinegun fire [32] times.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue to be under Israeli military occupation and siege.

- ***Nablus:*** A 9-year-old boy died when the occupation forces at Der Sharaf military checkpoint prevented the ambulance transporting him from reaching the hospital. The occupation forces continue to impose curfew on several neighborhoods, towns and villages, search, ransack & damage houses. They also invaded the village of Bet Eba, searched and ransacked houses and arrested a number of Palestinians. Seven Palestinians were injured.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces destroyed a family house in Kfar Raee and caused severe damage to several nearby houses and electricity and water supply networks and the occupation soldiers arrested a number of Palestinians and opened fire on several of the city's neighborhoods.

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces invaded the village of Anabta, raided and searched several houses and destroyed a family house without allowing owners to take out their properties.

- ***Salfeet:*** The occupation forces invaded the city, raided a family house and arrested one Palestinian.

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces invaded a family house, ransacked properties and arrested one Palestinian.

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation troops arrested a number of Palestinians.

- ***Gaza:*** A 75-year-old woman died from wounds sustained when the occupation forces launched a missile attack on a residential neighborhood in the city on July 23d.

- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces bombarded Al Rabwat Al Gharbia wounding a number of Palestinians and causing severe damage.

- ***Rafah:*** The occupation forces opened fire at residential houses in Tal Zougrob wounding four young Palestinians.

- ***Miscellaneous:*** Israeli High court allowed the occupation army to confiscate Palestinian land near the Jewish settlement of Netsareem in order to build a new road for the settlement.

The Israeli Daily Aggression on the Palestinian People
From: 19.00hrs Saturday, August 17
To: 19.00hrs Sunday, August 18

Israeli occupation troops continue their aggression and now they occupy virtually every Palestinian population center on the West Bank, and maintain a system of checkpoints, security cordons and curfews in the rest of the Palestinian territories. Israeli occupation forces have also cordoned off the Gaza Strip and conducted military attacks against Palestinian installations and houses inside its borders. Under the occupation, Palestinians are prohibited from leaving their homes to go to work or shop, and transport for relief provisions has been made difficult, if not impossible; up to half of the 3.3 million Palestinian population is verging on serious malnutrition.

[1] Palestinian was killed, [22] were injured, among them [4] children, [4] critically and [187] were arrested. [98] Trees and [27] dunams of land were bulldozed. [30] Houses, [29] vehicles, [11] economic establishments, [1] institution, [1] mosque, [1] hospital and [2] green houses were destroyed or damaged. [170] Dunams of land were confiscated for the expansion of settlements. [2] New military points were erected. Palestinian areas were invaded [24], shelled [14] & bombarded by machinegun fire [30] times.

- Jerusalem: The occupation forces arrested three Palestinians and bulldozed vast areas of agricultural land in Al Esaweia.

- ***Ramallah & Al Birah:*** The two cities, including the presidential HQ continue to be under Israeli military occupation and siege. The occupation soldiers also raided, searched and ransacked several houses in the city, took over several Palestinian vehicles and used them to chase Palestinians in AL Kassarat and AL Ram areas and arrested [7] Palestinians. Six others were arrested in the village of Kharabtha and the occupation authorities delivered land confiscation orders to tens of Palestinians.

- ***Nablus:*** The occupation forces continue to impose curfew on several neighborhoods, towns and villages, search, ransack & damage houses They also shot and killed a 40-year-old Palestinian in the village of Rojeeb, and demolished two family houses in the Village of Laban and kidnapped one Palestinian.

- ***Jenin:*** The occupation forces invaded the refugee camp, stationed around the UNRWA school and opened fire at Palestinian houses wounding a number of them.

- ***Tolkarem:*** The occupation forces stormed Shweka neighborhood, erected several checkpoints, opened fire and gas bombs at Palestinian houses and bombarded the northern and western neighborhoods wounding a number of Palestinians.

- ***Qalqilya:*** The occupation forces arrested one Palestinian at Ornet military checkpoint.

- ***Hebron:*** The occupation forces invaded several of the city's neighborhoods, raided, searched and ransacked houses and arrested [150] Palestinians.

- ***Bethlehem:*** The occupation troops invaded and took over a family house and turned it into a military post.

- ***Gaza:*** The occupation forces opened fire at residential houses in Al Sheikh Ejleen causing severe damage.

- ***Mid Area:*** The occupation forces invaded several houses near the Jewish settlement of Kfar Darom and arrested a 28-year-old Palestinian.

- ***Khan Younis:*** The occupation forces bombarded Al Namsawi and Al Amal neighborhoods critically wounding four Palestinians, among them a 9-year-old girl and causing severe damage. The occupation forces also bulldozed vast area of agricultural land east of the city.

- ***Rafah:*** The occupation forces invaded Mosbeh area, searched and ransacked houses, attacked Palestinians and arrested eight members of the same family.

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Note verbale dated 22 August 2002 from the Permanent Mission of Israel to the United Nations Office at Geneva addressed to the secretariat of the Commission on Human Rights

The Permanent Mission of Israel to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the secretariat of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission on Human Rights and wishes to express its concern regarding the Report of the Special Rapporteur on adequate housing as a component of the right to an adequate standard of living, Mr. Miloon Kothari (E/CN.4/2003/5/Add.1).

During the fifty-eighth session of the Commission on Human Rights, Israel was informed, in a highly questionable and unethical manner, of a draft report of the Special Rapporteur on adequate housing, Mr. Miloon Kothari. An advance edited copy of the report (E/CN.4/2003/5/Add.1), is now available as a document under agenda item 10 of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission on Human Rights. This report was prepared by the Special Rapporteur as a result of a visit that was apparently made in his private capacity.

Mr. Kothari visited Israel under the pretence of attending a private event to which he was invited by Ben-Gurion University. He filled out a visa application (enclosed herewith)*, dated 26 November 2001, where he clearly indicated that the purpose of his visit to Israel was to attend a conference at Ben-Gurion University.

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* Available for consultation in the files of the secretariat.

In a note dated 3 January 2002, on behalf of the Special Rapporteur, the Permanent Mission of Israel was informed of his intention to visit Israel and the territories of 5 January, two days later. The letter itself was actually received by the Permanent Mission of Israel on 7 January 2002, two days after the Special Rapporteur had already begun his private visit. This certainly did not allow for a "reasonable and sufficient" time for Israel to respond.

To the best of Israel's knowledge, Mr. Kothari's visit was never endorsed by the secretariat as official travel, nor was it organized by the Office of the High Commissioner. Nevertheless, he took an ultra vires initiative, contrary to his mandate, to gather information, which he compiled in a document intended to be an official report. In fact, in a communication sent to the United Nations Truce Supervision Organization at the request of the Special Rapporteur, it was clearly stated that he would "not be on an official visit status".

Israel is deeply disturbed by the behaviour of the Special Rapporteur, which would not be tolerated by any other member or observer State of the Commission on Human Rights. The conduct of the Special Rapporteur is unacceptable. It is contrary to the working methods of the Commission's mechanisms. It raises serious legal and ethical issues, which render circulation and discussion of this report both improper and inadmissible.

The Permanent Mission of Israel requests that this note and its attached documents* be circulated under agenda item 10 to all members of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission on Human Rights.